

**IL HIE Legal Task Force  
General PHI Meeting  
May 10, 2011  
Meeting Notes**

Attended by Phone:

Tracey Salinski, Arnstein & Lehr  
Patricia King, Swedish Covenant Hospital  
Melissa January, Dinker Biddle & Reath, LLP  
Valerie Montague, Arnstein & Leher  
Cavan Doyle, Lebow, Malecki, & Tasch  
Monique Anawis, John Marshall Law School

Office of Health Information Technology  
David Kim

Patricia King opened the meeting at 11:00 AM, hosted by OHIT at the State of Illinois J.R. Thompson Center in Downtown Chicago and a telephone conference call-in number. It was noted that notice of the meeting and the agenda were posted on the OHIT website and at the Chicago meeting location no later than 48 hours prior to the meeting. Roll was taken, and the ability of those attending by telephone to hear and participate was confirmed.

Ms. King asked if there were any revisions needed to the previous meeting's minutes. Ms. King noted that the date on the last set of minutes was incorrect. Hearing no other corrections, she asked for a motion to approve the minutes. A motion was given, it was seconded, and it was approved.

Ms. King then turned to the status of the analysis of the different statutes. Ms. King noted that they needed someone to look at the Managed Care Reform Act. Ms. King volunteered to provide an analysis of the statute. Ms. King then asked for a volunteer to examine the Illinois Health Statistics Act ("Statistics Act"). Ms. Anawis volunteered to examine the Statistics Act. It was noted that the analysis of the Illinois Adverse Health Care Events Reporting Law was almost finished. Another member stated that some minor updates were needed for the Medical Patients Rights Act and that would be done soon.

There were some questions about the level of analysis needed for the HIPAA business association and the HIE. It was agreed that only a high level of analysis was needed.

It was then asked what the form of the final work product. It was noted that all the groups are waiting to hear from the Executive Committee on guidance.

The group also noted that it would be extremely helpful if the legislature would pass a statute or regulation that would define certain terms such as "treatment" and "health information."

It was noted that it would be helpful to look at the HIE statutes from Minnesota and New Mexico.

The group set a tentative meeting for June 1<sup>st</sup> at 11AM.

Ms. King asked for public comments. There were none.

Meeting was adjourned at 11:30AM.